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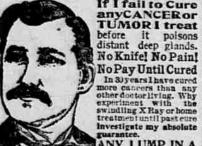


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CUBAN TREATIES ARE GREATLY DELAYED

Congress at Havana Finds Numer ous Pretexts for Delaying Action on Important Matters.

POLITICS A POTENT FACTOR.

Election Takes Place in December and Politicians Are Chary of Speaking in Favor of the Platt Amendment.

Havana, May 9.—The disposition to delay action on the pending treaties, coupled with he fact that the Senate Foreign Relations Committee still shows no indication of re-porting the couling and naval stations greement, made February 15, between President Roosevelt and President Palma, is causing increasing doubt as to whether all or any of the matters will be disposed of be-fore the close of the present session of

fore the close of the present session of Congress.

Congress is likely to adjourn within six weeks. The next session will begin in November, simultaneously with the special reciprocity convention of the United States. President Palma is anxious to conclude all treaties as early as possible, but he takes occasion to convention to the contract of the occasion to consult with Senators and Representatives at all stages with the result that numerous objections and pretexts for delay are made.

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No real question is pending in connection with either of the treaties.

The placing of the Platt amendment into the form of a treaty is Cuba's own proposition, made with the purpose of taking the Platt requirements out of the Constitution and out of politics.

The treaty conceding the Isle of Pines to

Cuba causes no objection here. The only treaty in which there is room for discussion is that for carrying out the agreement of the Presidents, referring to the leasing of coaling and naval stations, which is strictly in accordance with the Platt

Some persons who favor delay hold that Some persons who layer delay nord that Cuba is not bound to yield the concessions required by the Platt amendment, unless the United States grant reciprocity. This contention's based upon the allegation that remention's based upon the allegation that President Mekiniey definitely promised reciprocity. It is also held that, since the United States is retarding reciprocity, Cuba has equal reason to retard other matters. Others assume that the amount of lands described in the naval and coaling agreement is unwarrantedly large. The leaders generally, although disinclined to discuss the matter areas to the control of the matter, appear to agree that there is no necessity for haste; that whatever Cuba gains will be through a waiting policy.

Some Senators and Representatives who,
as members of the constitutional convenion, opposed the Platt amendment, say it would be inconsistent to vote for the amend-

Another potent reason for delay is found Another potent reason for delay is found in the fact that the elections for helf of the members of Congress and all municipal officers are to be held in December, and politicians are not inclined to speak in favor of carrying out the provisions of the Platt amendment during the campaign, and especially as it is anticipated that the House, as well as the Senate, will be required to act in authorizing the leasing of lands to a foreign Government.

President Palma's influence is felt to be strong enough, if determinedly exercised, to strong enough, if determinedly exercised, to carry those matters through the House as well as the Senate.

TEN DAYS' TRIAL OFFERED MEN.

thing that I want to know. It is a question which will require the combined thought of the educators of the city and the country to soive."

That the children of the wealthy are indifferent to the conduct of the nation Mrs. Abbe unhesitatingly declares. And at the recent meeting of the Get Together Clubshad made the mistake of educating only the limmigrants.

"This has been our error, and we are convinced that we should have included the children of the rich.

ONLY KEEP HOUSE.

"When I hear mothers say: I don't want my son to go to college for fear he will know more than I. what can I think?" Mrs. Abbe further said: "Most women feel they have done their duty when their house is ordered for the day. What do they do with their time? They have as much time, outside social duties as I. That there are any responsibilities beyond attendance upon social functions, few of them will acknowledge.

"Have I tried to interest them? Yes, with the result that I secured one child. It is not the fault of the children but the mothers, Now as to the remedy; that is the great question. We have this great mass of inertia to deal with. I was only throwing out a feeler when I suggested this problem at the Get Tozether Club. I want to set porsons thinking. I want educators and thinking men and women all over the city to consider the matter and lend their aid in solving the problem.

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Defends System of Theology as Adopted by Roman Catholic Church -Declares Members Can Hold Opposite Views Just as Citizous of the United States Differ With Regard to Methods of Government.

One of the Jesuit priests at the St. Louis inversity has sent to The Republic an pricicle which expinins the Grand Act, given in the St. Louis University during Dedicania the Grand Act, given in the St. Louis University during Dedicanian and the St. Louis 10 to University has sent to The Republic an article which explains the Grand Act, given in the St. Louis University during Dedica-

tion Week.

The article is in the nature of a defense of the theological system in the Homan Catholic Church. The explanation is as fol-

of the theological system in the Roman Catholic Church. The explanation is as follows:

"To many persons who are not Catholics, and who are unfamiliar with the wide field of Catholic theology it is perplexing to hear that on many points connected with revelation and Catholic teaching there are not only individual differences between Catholics, but that there are even whole theological schools maintaining opposite opinions on certain subjects. The question very naturally arises in the mind of the noncatholic: is not this a contradiction?

"The Catholic Church claims unity of doctrine, and here we have plurally. She holds that she is infallible, and here are Catholic doctors of theology taking opposite views of her teaching. She points to ine divisions of the sects as a proof of their fundamental error in doctrine while she overlooks the sects within her own fold, and recognizes equally as true Catholics both those who amma a thesis and those who deny it.

"This difficulty, which appeals as a serious one to many, does not at all startle a Catholic, and for the candid inquirer into the true relation between Catholic theology and the Catholic Church, the objection loses all its effectiveness. To explain this relation more clearly, let us take this example: President Roosevelt and ex-President Clevenald, it will be conceded, are both genuine Americans, both ardent patriots, both firm believers in the principles of the Constitution, and both are devoting their lives to its vital preservation and integrity. "On this common ground they agree, and thus far they work together harmoniously. Nevertheless, cach of these men belongs to differing partles, each looks to the welfaro of his country from an unlike, perhaps an opposite, point of view; each would, if possible, prevent the other from gaining a position where his theory could be put into practice. President Roosevelt would retain his party in party in power, Mr. Cleveland would. rious one to many, does not at all starties and catholic, and for the candid inquirer into the true relation between Catholic theology, and the river relation between Catholic theology, and the relation more clearly, let us take this example; President Roosevelt and ex-President Roosevelt and particles, each of these men belongs to into the president Roosevelt relations and Jesuits is a case in point, and their discussion of the river which are devoted the particles, each of these men belongs to inforting parties, each of the parties of the

New York. May &-Attention is redirect-

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disqualifying married women from holding positions as teachers, by the suit of Mrs. Maude E. Alcock for separation.

Mrs. Alcock was a teacher in Public School No. 180, at Rivington and Suffolk streets, and had reached a grade in which she earned \$25 a year. She was "Miss Maude E. Cross" to Principal Frisbee and to Superintendent John Jasper, Borough Superintendent of Schools, down to one day in December. 1901, when William G. Alcock appeared at the office of Superintendent Jasper and laid upon his desk a marriage certificate, which showed that he and Miss Cross had been married in Brooklyn in 1990.

"Maude Cross is my wife and she has got a pair of twins, too," said Mr. Jasper's caller. Then the visitor folded his certificate and went away.

John Jasper's duty was plain. It was a hard duty, but he sent for the faithful teacher who had committed the crime of getting married. She came next day to hear her sentence of dismissal. It was idle for her to weep; to plead that her husband had left her; that her twins must be provided for, and she must provide. There was the rule, and she had violated it. Her husband had presented the evidence; she could not deny it. So the unhappy mother went

RICH NEED EDUCATION.

New York Club President Thinks Boys and Girls Need to Be Taught American History.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, May 9.—How to interest children of the rich in the welfare of the nation is the problem which Mrs. Robert Abbe and the City History Club of which he is president are battling, believing as they do that such education is most important.

"How are they to be reached?" replied Mrs. Abbe to a query, "That's the very thing that I want to know. It is a question which will require the combined thought of the educators of the city and the country to soive."

SAYS CHILDREN OF

POSITION LOST THROUGH HUSBAND,

New York Public School Teacher Was Supporting Her Children,

but Ruling Against Married Women Disqualified Her-

She Wants Separation in Order to Gain a Livelihood.

subjects that would scandalize her children, endanger their faith, or disturb their peace and harmony.

"But, beyond this, they are free to choose and to hold their opinions on any religious topic; they may discuss ways and means, just as our Congress discusses them; they may hold opposite opinions on the same subject, and they may defend these opinions with all the ardor and ingenuity possible. The only proviso made is that the Catholic faith shall not be jeopardized, nor Catholic concord impaired by reckless or ill-timed speculations.

"Such liberty of thought and speech has had its place in the church from the earliest times. St. Peter and St. Paul are thought to have warmly opposed each other on the question of circumcision; St. Cyprian and St. Stephen took different views as to whether heretics should be rebaptized; St. Augustine, and St. Jerome, and St. John Chrysosiom, and St. Athanasius—in fact, all the doctors of the church, wrote and spoke not only against those outside the church but against those inside as well, only with the difference that in the former instances they defended the dogmatic teachings of the church, and in the latter some line of action or some point of view which they deemed best to ald the church under the existing circumstances.

SCHOOLS OF THOUGHT.

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SHE SUES FOR DIVORCE

JESUIT PRIEST DEFINES GRAND ACT GIVEN IN ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY. WOMEN SAY OF PE-RU-NA:



A Letter from Minnesota.

Mrs. Pauline Winters Hausen, 211 29th ive., West, Duluth, Minn., writes: Ave. West, Duluth, Minn., writes:

"I want to say a good word for Peruna, as it has cured me of severe female trouble combined with nervousness. For two years I used remedies without lasting benefit. Four bottles of Peruna cured me entirely. I feel better than I ever did before, which I owe to Dr. Hartman and Peruna. Dr. Hartman has answered every letter that I sent him free, and does for every one who applies to him."—Mrs. Pauline Winters Hausen.

A Letter from Mrs. Senator Warren.

The following letter from the wife of late Governor and now U. S. Senator F. E. Warren of Wyoming was received by The Peruna Medicine Co.:

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"Notably, one gentlemen in my home, Cheyenne, who had tried many medicines under different physicians and had given up hope and his business. After taking a portion of the second bottle he was enabled to walk a mile at a time and has now resumed his business. I believe no medicine ever brought before the public has effected so many permanent cures as Peruna."—
Mrs. F. E. Warren.

A Letter from Missouri.

Mrs. Martha Frederich, Cole Camp, Mo., writes: "I feel it my duty to write and tell you of the good your Peruna has done me. I was subject to female weakness. For six years I suffered more or less. We have consulted various doctors who gave me re-lief, but no cure.

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"I have suffered a great deal, and my husband had very large bills to pay. In my despair I decided to try Peruna, and the first bottle taken according to directions gave me relief.

"I have had no backset since then. Since we have used Peruna a doctor has seldom been in our house.

"It would take a book if I were to tell all the good that Peruna has done in our family."

A Letter from Ohio.

Mrs. Mary J. Houston, 218 Washington Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "It is through the mercies of God and your Peruna that I have been cured. I have been a constant sufferer from bowel and stomach trouble for the last five years. Last winter I was better, then took worse. Last winter I was better, then took worse. I sent for a doctor, and requested him to tell me what was the matter. He told me I had bowel consumption. I then consulted with six physicians, and at this time was almost dead. I took three kinds of patent medicine, but without any relief.

"The minister at West Jefferson called to see me, and seemed to think I had but little longer to live. I was then sent home to Columbus. When my cousin advised me to use Peruna, I said: 'If Dr. Hartman can cure me he can raise the dead.' I think he can, for I am cured; can eat fruit or anything I want. This I have not been able to do for years. I am also cured of heart trouble, which I had for twelve

years. I began taking Peruna the 18th of last August, and have taken five and a half bottles. I am perfectly cured and feel as though I were only nineteen. I only weighed eighty-four pounds, and now I weigh 132. My case was catarrh of the bowels; and I hope that any who are suffering with the same will give Peruna a trial. Thanks to Dr. Hartman, as I would have been in my grave had it not been for Peruna."—Mary J. Houston.

A Letter from New Jersey.

"I have not words to express my grati-tude for the wonderful cure that Peruna has done for me. It is a Godsend to all suffering women.

"Peruna has done wonderful work for me.

I was sick over half of my life with systemic catarrh. I want this letter published far and wide, as I was a great sufferer, but to-day I feel as well as anybody can feel. Nearly all my life I have spent nearfeel. Nearly all my life I have spent nearly all I could make and scrape for doctors, but none of them did me any good, but since I started on your Peruna one year ago I have at last found relief.

"I had begun to think that I was not going to get well, but thank God I am all well to-dny. I hope and pray you may live long to help others as you have helped me. "Instead of being a walking drug store I am growing fat and doing well. I will never be without Peruna and Manalin."

IN MEMORY OF MISS RAMSEY.

back to little Eimer Guest Alcock and his twin brother. Alexander Marton Alcock, who were with their grandmother, at No. \$5 South Fourth street, Brooklyn. She had fourteen months of litigation with William G. Alcock since then. She summoned him to Police Court for failure to support her and the twins, and the Magistrate ordered him to pay her \$3 weekly for a year. He did that, and now she is suing him for separation, alleging that he frequently threatened her in the night, flourished a razor, said he would throw carbolic acid on her and kept her in constant terror, finally abandoning her November 22, 1901. He denies her charges, and says he could not get along with her mother, with whom they lived. His employers and associates give him an excellent character. The twins were 2 years old in March, and their mother is barred from the employment for which she especially fitted herself, and by schich she especially fitted herself, and by which she english earn a livelihood for them all, because of her unfortunate matrimonial adventure.

The women's clubs advocated the repeal of the rule barring married women from employment as teachers, and the board modified it by providing that a married woman may be appointed "if her husband is mentally or physically incapacitated from providing for her, or has consecutively abandoned her for not less than three years." Mrs. Alcock's case is not covered by any of these provisions. King's Daughters' Circle Pays Tribute to Its Late President. The King's Daughters' Circle met at St. Mark's English Lutheran Church last Thursday and held memorial services in honor of Miss Anna L. Ramsey, daughter of Joseph Ramsey, Jr., president of the Wabash Raliroad, who died in Egypt of typhold fever early in April, and who at the time of her death was the president of the circle. "Only recently one of my children declared that 'New York was the beautifullest city.' Now that is not the spirit I want instilled, and to counteract this idea I described many notable features of Paris. London and other great cities. Not until this narrow view has become rooted out and mothers have come to feel that their children, as well as those of the immigrants, are meant for service—not until then will the true idea of civic uride and patriotism be reached."

Mrs. Abbe does not agree with Mr. Percival Chubb when he declared at the recent meeting of the Ethical Culture Club of Philadelphia that there are too few children among the rich.

That race suicide is a fancy of the imagination, here in New York, at least, among a certain set. Mrs. Abbe feels sure.

"I count it the fit calamity of the children of the rich." said Mr. Chubb, "that there are too few of them: that the old hearty and copulous family life is unknown to them. The usession of maternity wanes. It is the symptom of disease; the disease that has marked all ages to decay. It is the blight of the life of pleasure, luxury and self in ulgence to which riches are always tempting."

"I do not agree with Mr. Chubb," said Mrs. Abbe, "as to the race suicide among the rich. I know that the women of a certain set here in New York are rearing their children splendidly, not only as regards numbers but as to method. As to the pleasure, luxury and self indulgence as a class I am afraid it is too true."

Miss Loretto Luilman, acting president of the circle, opened the services with Bible reading, after which Mrs. Breckhridge led in prayer.

Resolutions deprecating the death of Miss Ramsey were read by Mrs. L. L. King. The resolutions were lengthy and extolled in the highest terms the beautiful character of the late president of the circle.

It was also resolved to extend the sincere sympathy of the organization to her family and friends in their great sorrow.

After adopting the resolutions, the Reverench Doctor M. Rhedes spoke at length on the kind of life that is worth living, and paid high tribute to Miss Ramsey's Chris-

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